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1. ROK FOREIGN MINISTRY HAD ALSO NOTED KIM YONG-NAM VISIT TO BUCHAREST AND HIS SPECIAL MESSAGE TO CEAUSECU. MOFA OBSERVES THAT KIM PAID SIMILAR VISIT TO BELGRADE, ALSO WITH SPECIAL MESSAGE FROM KIM IL-SONG, SHORTLY BEFORE TITO VISIT TO WASHINGTON, AND THAT MAJOR PURPOSE OF MESSAGE WAS EVIDENTLY TO SEEK YUGOSLAV INTERCESSION WITH US IN SUPPORT OF NORTH KOREAN POSITION ON KOREAN ISSUE. MOFA ASSUMES THAT PURPOSE OF PRESENT TRIP TO BUCHAREST IS SIMILARLY RELATED TO CEAUSECU'S FORTHCOMING US VISIT OF WHICH THEY ARE ALREADY AWARE, AND HAS ASKED FOR ANY INFORMATION US CAN OFFER IN THIS REGARD.

2. ALTHOUGH WE HAVE NOT YET RECEIVED THE REQUEST, IT IS OBVIOUS THAT THE ROKG WILL BE LOOKING FOR REASSURANCE THAT THE US WILL CONTINUE TO MAINTAIN ITS POSITION AS IT DID DURING TITO VISIT.
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